

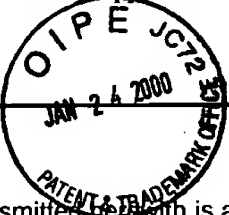
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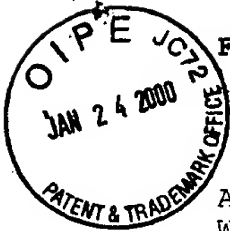
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In connection with the filing of the above-described application, kindly enter the following preliminary amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the Specification as follows:

On page 3, line 7, change "compensation inter-frame"
to --compensated inter-frame--;

On page 3, line 13, change "501" to --510--;

On page 5, line 24, change "13818-2" to --13818-2)--;

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